In the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

- 1-24. (Canceled)
- (Currently Amended) A method of ablating organic tissue, comprising: positioning an electrode adjacent the organic tissue;

supplying electrical power to the electrode to effect ablation of the organic tissue:

sensing with a sensor positioned adjacent the electrode the vibration of the organic tissue being ablated; and

reducing power to the electrode when the vibration reaches a given value.

- (Original) The method of claim 25, further comprising:
 halting the power when the vibration reaches a given value.
- (Original) The method of claim 25, further comprising: supplying fluid from a fluid supply to the tissue; and halting the fluid supply when the vibration reaches a given value.
- (Original) The method of claim 25 further comprising: sending a signal from the sensor to a switch to reduce the power.
- (Original) The method of claim 25, further comprising: providing output from an output device when the vibration reaches a given value
 - (Original) The method of claim 29 further comprising:

sending a signal from the sensor to the output device; and sending an indicator signal from the output device.

- (Original) The method of claim 25 wherein the sensor is a piezoelectric crystal.
- (Original) The method of claim 25 wherein the sensor is a piezoelectric polymer.
- 33. (Previously presented) The method of claim 25 wherein the sensor is integrated with the electrode.

Claims 34-61. (Canceled)

62. (Withdrawn) A method of ablating electrically conductive pathways in heart tissue within the body cavity of a patient, comprising:

positioning a conductive element within the body cavity adjacent the selected heart tissue:

supplying power to the conductive element;

sensing with a sensor positioned adjacent the conductive element the vibration of the heart tissue; and

reducing power to the conductive element when the vibration reaches a given value.

- (Withdrawn) The method of claim 62, further comprising: halting the power when the vibration reaches a given value.
- 64. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 62, further comprising: supplying fluid from a fluid supply to the heart tissue; and halting the fluid supply when the vibration reaches a given value.

- 65. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 62 further comprising: sending a signal from the sensor to a switch to reduce the power.
- (Withdrawn) The method of claim 62, further comprising: providing output from an output device when the vibration reaches a given value.
 - (Withdrawn) The method of claim 66 further comprising: sending a signal from the sensor to the output device; and sending an indicator signal from the output device.
- (Withdrawn) The method of claim 62 wherein the sensor is a piezoelectric crystal.
- (Withdrawn) The method of claim 62 wherein the sensor is a piezoelectric polymer.
- 70. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 62 wherein the sensor is integrated with the conductive element.
 - (Withdrawn) A method of ablating organic tissue, comprising: positioning a conductive element adjacent the organic tissue; supplying an ionic fluid between the conductive element and the organic tissue;
 - supplying electrical power to the conductive element and the ionic fluid;
- sensing with a sensor positioned adjacent the conductive element the vibration of the organic tissue; and
- reducing power to the conductive element when the vibration reaches a given value.

- (Withdrawn) The method of claim 71, further comprising: halting the electrical power when the vibration reaches a given value.
- (Withdrawn) The method of claim 71, further comprising: halting the ionic fluid supply when the vibration reaches a given value.
- (Withdrawn) The method of claim 71 further comprising: sending a signal from the sensor to a switch to reduce the electrical power.
- (Withdrawn) The method of claim 71, further comprising: providing output from an output device when the vibration reaches a given value.
 - 76. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 75 further comprising: sending a signal from the sensor to the output device; and sending an indicator signal from the output device.
- (Withdrawn) The method of claim 71 wherein the sensor is a piezoelectric crystal.
- 78. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 71 wherein the sensor is a piezoelectric polymer.
- 79. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 71 wherein the sensor is integrated with the conductive element.